

Bedtime Story For the Little Ones

UNCLE WIGGLY AND HIPPO HOPPY.

BY HOWARD E. GARRE.

"AT-A-TAT-TAT!" came a knock on the door of the hollow stump bungalow, where lived Uncle Wiggly Longears, the rabbit gentleman.

"That Visitors so early in the morning?" said the bunny surprised like.

"And I haven't my eye-seeing, dusting, bed making, bathing, washin', ironing or sewing done," cried Nurse Jane Fussy Wuzz, the muskrat lady housekeeper. "Mercy me, sakes alive, and some stewed apricots, and some stewed apricots."

"Oh, don't mind a little thing like that," said Uncle Wiggly with a jolly laugh. "Maybe it is some one to see me, and we can go out in the woods looking for an adventure, so we won't bother you at all."

And, surely enough, when Uncle Wiggly opened the door, there stood Johnnie Bushytail, one of the squirrel boys.

"Oh, hello, Uncle Wiggly?" chattered Johnnie. "There's something kind I can do for you today."

"Anything kind? What do you mean?"

"Well, you know I've joined the animal boy scout and we have to do something kind to some one each day. I thought I'd like to do my kindness for you."

"That is very nice, I'm sure, but I don't know of anything that I need have done just now. However, suppose you come for a walk with me, and we'll see what happens. Nurse Jane, went on Uncle Wiggly, "haven't you a cookie, a jam tart or something like that for Johnnie?"

"Of course I have," said Miss Fussy Wuzz, and she gave the squirrel boy a piece of nut cake.

"Thank you," said Johnnie. "This is good!" chattered Johnnie. "Only it makes me want to do a kindness, now, for Nurse Jane, too."

"Run along," said the muskrat lady, with a laugh. "Let me get my bungalow work done—that will be kindness enough."

So Uncle Wiggly and Johnnie stepped on through the woods, the bunny uncle to look for an adventure and the squirrel boy hoping he could see a kindness to do.

"Pretty soon, in a little while, not so very long, the two friends heard from behind a rustling bush a voice saying:

"Oh, dear! How thirsty I am! Oh! if I only had a drink!"

"Hello! Who's there?" asked Uncle Wiggly.

"It is I—Mr. Mud Turtle!" was the answer. "There hasn't been a pond of water over this hill" said Johnnie.

"That's too far away," spoke the mud turtle gentleman. "I should like

SCHOOL DAYS

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By DWIG



Jealousy

Beauty Chats

By Edna Kent Forbes

Beauty Hints.

MAKINGUP said she wanted a few general rules to follow, to make herself beautiful. I told her this was rather a large order, but that I'd try to satisfy her. And here are the rules.

First and most important is proper bathing. A daily bath is imperative unless bathing is extremely inconvenient. Then baths as often as possible, in warm water with plenty of soap. With a daily bath, so much hot water and soap is not needed.

Next is the diet. Good nourishing food is needed, but plain food, nothing to overtax the stomach. To improve the blood or to make it too rich and to cause pimples.

And next is exercise. This includes deep breathing which vitalizes the whole body, and develops the upper part of the frame.

Next is sleep—eight or nine hours a night, with windows open so one may drink in the pure air.

Then comes dress. The most beautiful girl will look badly if dressed in a frilly or unbecoming fashion. And again, an otherwise plain girl will look her worst if she is not neat in her clothes, and the way she dresses her hair, and make herself look very interesting.

You may say most of my rules are just those of health and hygiene—and you are right. For there can be no beauty where there is not health and cleanliness. Cold creams are very useful in their way, powder does wonders to a poor skin. Hair tonics are a necessity, and the demands of other lozings and cosmetics that beauty specialists hold in their hands are so many, women, but without the fundamentals mentioned above they are quite without merit.

Questions and Answers.

Helen L.—Bathing the eyes with boracic acid won't cause you to lose your eyelashes, though the continued use will. To get rid of them, first use a lotion from your doctor, and not prescribe medical remedies here, and immediately go on the simplest style cream from hat diet in many cases. If your diet is right, you won't be troubled with them again.

W. R. S.—An oily skin comes from an overabundance of oils in the diet, or lack of care to the skin. Many complexions are naturally oily, but too much oil may be attributed to either cause from hat diet in many cases. If your diet is right, you won't be troubled with them again.

Miss Fine—Did you enclose a self addressed stamped envelope the other time you wrote me? I cannot give you the names of physicians in this column, your doctor or the telephone book will be reliable sources of information. Charge for electric needle work very from one to five dollars an hour, and the work is always satisfactory if done by competent people.

DIRECTORY NEW OPEN OFFICE.

An office has been opened in the chamber of commerce building by the Huddlestone directory company, which has started the canvass for the 1918 directory. This company, recently incorporated by Frank M. Huddlestone, Hal E. Christie and Thomas H. Huddlestone, is making this city a directory publishing center.

LITTLE BOY NOW PLAYS JUST LIKE OTHER CHILDREN

Grateful mother declares Tanlac made a great change in him.

Mrs. Josephine Barnes of 1215 Texas street, is very grateful for the wonderful benefits her young son, Charles, has derived from the use of Tanlac, and in a statement, a few days ago, regarding his case, said:

"Charles had complained nearly all the time during the past three years of his back hurting him, and at times he suffered something awful. His stomach was in such a state that he could not retain his food, he was nervous and cross all the time and slept very little. He would often scream out in his sleep, then wake up and cry for hours with pain. Sometimes his temperature would run up to a hundred and three and a hundred and four. He never seemed to feel like playing around at all."

"A friend of mine advised me to try Tanlac on the little fellow and I want to say right now, I have never seen such a change in him. He has been eating like a pig, everything seems to agree with him and he has grown and improved until he's not like the same child. He never hears him complaining of his back hurting him now, he sleeps all night and he does not cry. I am glad to see him out enjoying himself as much as other children. Lots of people in our neighborhood are amazed to see him looking so different and I know of several who are taking Tanlac on account of what it has done for him. It certainly is fine medicine and everybody ought to know about it. Tanlac is sold in El Paso by Kelly & Pollard Co., Inc., and People's Drug Store under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative.—Adv.

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TODAY'S DAINTIEST DISH

By CONSTANCE CLARKE.



Chocolate Custard.

BEAT a pint of milk in a double boiler, and two tablespoonsful of cornstarch moistened with a little cold milk, and half a cup of sugar, stir and cook for 15 minutes, stirring occasionally. Melt one and a half squares of chocolate (unsweetened), add three tablespoonsful of boiling water, stir till smooth, then add to the above, remove from the fire and add the beaten white of three eggs and a teaspoonful of vanilla and cook one minute more. Remove from the fire and pour in small cups. Serve cold. Garnish tops with whipped cream.—(Tomorrow—Fruit Tart.)

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS MAY BE OVERCOME

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head noise go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmit (double strength), and add to it 1 pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Closed nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Any one who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noise should give this preparation a trial.—Adv.

BRITISH TURK OFFICIAL REMOVED FROM PALESTINE

London, Eng., Sept. 15.—News has reached London that the Turkish government has withdrawn Djemal Pasha, one of the most noted officials in Asia Minor, from his post of commander of Palestine owing to the intense feeling which his methods aroused among the population under his control. Djemal's successor has not been announced.

It is believed effort will be made by the Turkish administrator to improve conditions in Palestine.

The Daily Novelette

Knock-Knees Contribution.

ONE morning in the dawn of the world, Knock-Knees, the cave-man, awoke with a peculiarly unpleasant feeling on the back of his neck. And lo, it was a bolt—the first bolt!

"Skroo!" screamed Knock-Knees. "I'm awitched!"

And he applied powder from his wings found in a burying ground on a full moon Friday, and likewise the blood of a five legged toad, but all to no avail.

By evening the bolt was a full grown bolt and for its size, and Knock-Knees was frantic with pain and apprehension. But especially apprehension, for he had a date at half past eight with Starry-Eyes, the luscious daughter of Old Leg-You, and she had promised to give him the answer to his question. She must not see that he was bewitched!

His natural resourcefulness finally came to his aid. Tearing a broad stiff leaf from a sticky-leaved bush, he wrapped it around his neck and tied the ends together.

"Knock-Knees!" cried Starry-Eyes, half an hour later, "I was all prepared to reject you, but that was because I didn't know you were a man of fashion. I love men of fashion, and that lovely original arrangement around your neck is simply irresistible!"

And thus stiff collars were given to an already suffering world.

STREAMS IN THIS SECTION MEASURED BY GOVERNMENT

A report presenting the results of measurements of the flow of streams that discharge into the Gulf of Mexico, west of the mouth of the Mississippi has just been published by the United States geological survey, Interior department, as Water-Supply Paper 483. These measurements were made during the year beginning October 1, 1914, and ending September 30, 1915, a period selected because the run-off for a year beginning October 1 is practically all derived from precipitation within that year.

The streams measured include Trinity river, Brazos river, Colorado river (Texas), San Antonio river, Pecos river, and the Rio Grande and a number of its tributaries. The report includes also results of measurements on three streams—Missouri river, Lemphig river, and Rio Tularosa—whose waters do not reach the Gulf, as they are discharged into closed basins, and the results of measurements on streams that are evaporated or are evaporated. The report also includes descriptions of the results of current-meter measurements and of the results of daily and monthly discharge.

The report is without interest for the general reader but is essential to engineers and others who are using or planning to use the waters of the streams for irrigation or other industrial or domestic supplies. Copies may be obtained without charge by applying to the director, United States geological survey, Washington, D. C.

GETS MORE INFORMATION ON AUTO LIGHT LENSES

Additional information furnished Justice A. J. Hall by the state highway commission shows the following automobile light lenses as having passed the test made under the new law. The figure after each name denotes the maximum candle power permissible.

Conover, Florentine, 15; Calcasieu, 15; McKee, 40; Holopore, 24; Glark, Kille, yellow, 22; Glark-Kille, clear, 24; Warner, 18; Comophore, 15; Orscoed, 15; Ground upper three quarters, 15; Comophore, Novell, 12; Safelite, 12; Ground center, fitted, 21; Farris No. Glark, 15; Refractor, 21.

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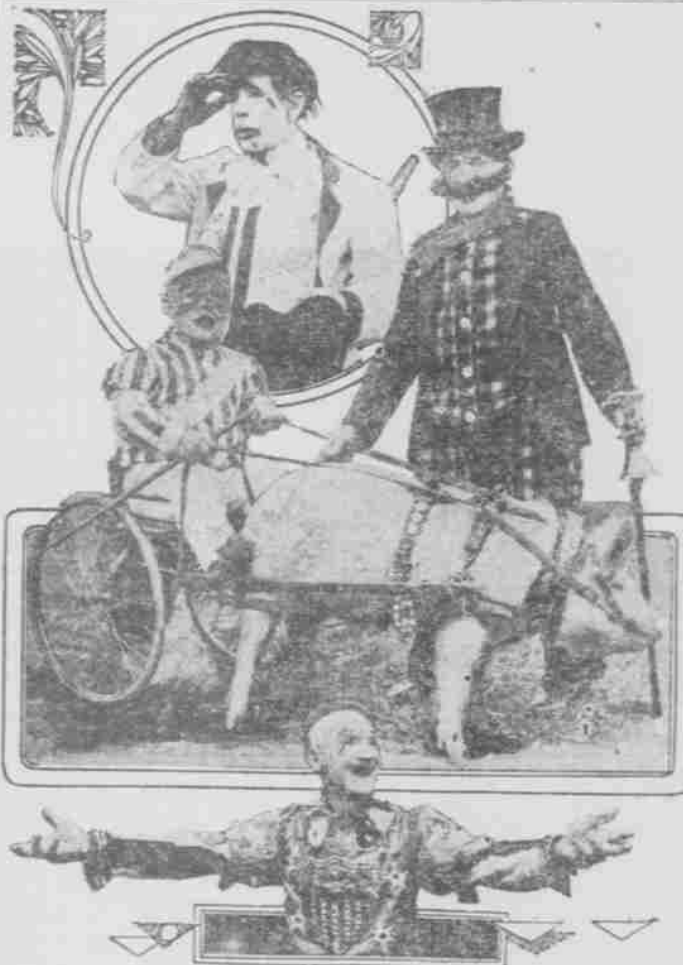
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CLOWNS HOLD MONSTER CONVENTION IN CHICAGO



Sixty Skylarkers Will Be Here With Ringling Bros. Circus

CLOWNS of every nationality are now headed in this direction. The traveling company numbers exactly 66 Merry Andrews of all heights and sizes. There is Joe Del-torelli, famous in the hippodromes of France; Andrew Casino, formerly Jester for the Shah of Persia; Fred Steilner, the great English pantomime; Jules Turnour, who hails from Spain; George Hartell, known throughout America as the million-act clown; Al Mico, dean of all vaudeville comedians; Jim Sprakes, the most noted clown in the circus; and others equally as well known in the land of the white tops and spangles.

Prior to the opening of the present circus season, the merry clowns met in convention in Chicago. Here were discussed the thousand and one antics, grotesque costumes and ingenious mechanical devices that now play a part in circus performances. The what is said to be the greatest parade of two-footed ever put together is a gathering of skylarkers as they will be seen when Ringling Brothers' circus comes here Thursday, September 20.

Hardly will the circus have fallen upon the final scene of "Cinderella" when, with a burst of music, the population of clownland will swing into view. And during the two hours of acrobatic numbers, it is said there is scarcely a moment when the "Sixty Sixty" are not entering through the ring, over the numerous stages or across the mammoth hippodrome track.

In addition to the two-legged comedians the Ringling Brothers are this season presenting a large number of dumb clowns. Bears, monkeys, ponies, dogs, elephants and even camels have been trained to perform with the thrills of the acrobats and the daring riders, a platitude of humor rarely to be found in the yet conceived by the famous clown.

SHERIFF M. B. CHASTAIN, OF PRESIDIO, KILLED BY FALL

Sierra Blanca, Texas, Sept. 12.—Shortly after noon Wednesday a telegram message was received from the Porter and Chastain ranch, 15 miles north of Sierra Blanca, stating that Sheriff M. B. Chastain had fallen from a windmill tower and had been very seriously injured. Mr. Chastain, 40, was a native of Texas and had been in the service of the Porter and Chastain ranch for many years. He was a well-known figure in the community and was highly respected.

Mr. Chastain had lived in Sierra Blanca for a number of years and had served as sheriff of Presidio county for several years.

PRINTS EL PASO PICTURE.

The Dallas News in a recent issue, prints a large picture of the fountain and athletic pool in the center of San Jacinto plaza, under a heading describing it as an example of civic beauty in Texas.

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